

CHAPTER 2:

**THE SUZUKI MURDER AND
COURTROOM BEHAVIOR CASE (12)**



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(Age 12)

Attorney/
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(Age 12)

Accused/
Tento Nonohashi
(Age 12)

'Victim/
Suspect'

ended up brutally murdered and dismembered.

The fish Suzuki, which was being raised by the class for their *shokuhaku* food education project.

Suspicion was cast upon Tento Nanahoshi [Age 12].

TENTO'S REAL HIDE, SO HE PROBABLY DID IT FOR MONEY.

I GAVE NANAHOSHI THE CLASSROOM KEY SINCE HE HAD CREATURE KEEPER DUTY THAT DAY...

I CAN SWIMMING GHOST IN THE POOL...

MURK HONOR!

THE DEFENSE HEREBY REQUESTS TO CALL A WITNESS TO THE STAND!!

As the onslaught of unfavorable testimony continued, Inugami finally stepped in..







HE THEN CUT IT UP WITH HIS OWN SCISSORS, WHICH IS, BY THE WAY, OF COURSE, THERE WAS A FISH SCALE ON THEM...

...AND DREW A STAR ON IT WITH A WATER-RESISTANT MARKER TO MAKE IT LOOK LIKE SUSHI.

ON THE DAY OF THE CRAB, ONCE HE WAS ALONE, TENTO TOOK OUT THE FUNNY FISH HE'D PREPARED...

EXACTLY... THAT WAS THE REAL SUSHI. THIS TIME OF YEAR, THE POOL WATER IS BUBBLY SO IT WAS AN IDEAL HAVING PLACE.

THEN THE SHOT OF SUSHI THAT I SAW IN THE POOL...?

THEN HE HAD THE REAL SUSHI ELSEWHERE ON THE SCHOOL GROUNDS.

SAY, RACCOON, WHEN THEY EXPERIENCE OVERWHELMING FEAR, PLATE IT OUT IN A REFLEX REACTION CALLED FRAMPTON...

INCIDENTALLY THE AQUARIUM TANK IN THE LAB ROOM WAS LIKELY JUST NOT FULL TO A CURSE...

...BUT BECAUSE TENTO USED IT TO MOVE SUSHI.

A BODY-
HUNTER
SHOULD
NOT
CARRY
ON A
BODILY-
TICKLED
DECK LIKE
A BODY-
HUNTER!



AND TENTO,
ALSO FACING A
CERTAIN DREAD,
FEIGNED DEATH...
OR RATHER...

YOU THINK SO?
FOR SURE,
THAT WOULD BE
THE CASE IF WE
WERE TALKING
HUMAN BODY.
BUT...

... AND THE
BODY WAS CUT
INTO SMALL
PIECES.
A REAL
IT'S NOT
LIKE ONE
ANALYST
WOULD
BE REAL.

LAUNCHED
A FAKE
MURDER
OPERATION!

ZENKOKU--
I CAN
SEE THE
DEFENDANT'S
ASSERTIONS.
HOWEVER...



I THINK IT'D
BE DIFFICULT
TO DISTINGUISH
A FISH OF THE
SAME SIZE IN
SOY SAUCE-
STAINED
WATER!





DON'T YOU
CONSIDER
HOTELS BETTER
WITH US,
MANAGEMENT?

BUT THEN
ONE DAY
UNUSUAL
GROUP
OF BOYS
APPROACHED
ME, SAYING...

SO
NATURAL, LIK
I INTENDED
TO HOME
DON'T
BET.

BUT MY
HEART
WANDERED
TO THE
VERY
END.

BY
SELLING
OUT
GIZUMI
AND
CHANGING
SOPHIA,
I HAD
GAINED
FRIEND-
SHIP!

THEY ARE
MARCH WITH ME,
IN VACANT HOUR
TOGETHER...
AND HONESTLY
IN HEAVEN...

AND ON
THE DAY
OF THE VOTE...

SO
THAT'S
WHY THE
BOSS
LOST BY
ONE VOTE!

STILL
OF TWO
MINDS,
I...

...AND
ENDLESS
UP VOTING
DON'T BUY

Don't
Buy

...
ATTACHED
SIGHT-
AGENCY...

THREE PUNCHES ARE DELIVERED TO THE HEAD OF THE MAN IN THE CENTER. HE IS WEARING A HELMET AND A JACKET WITH A BADGE ON THE CHEST. A SPEECH BUBBLE FROM HIS MOUTH READS:

I'M
SORRY,
EVERY-
BODY
!!!!

THAT'S
WHY I
WENT
ALONG
WITH THE
THREAT
AND
RAKED
SUZUKI'S
DEATH!!!

I WAS
AFRAID
OF GOING
BACK TO
BEING ALL
ALONE,
AND I
FREAKED
OUT!!

WHEN
I SAW THE
THREATENING
LETTER AND
THOUGHT
IT'D GET
EXPOSED AS
A TRAP...
I WAS



H-HUH?
WHAT
ARE YOU
TALKING
ABOUT?

I GOT
THE FULL
DETAILS OF
THIS VOTING
CIRCLE-
SPANNERS
FROM
TINTO.

I
WANT
YOU
ALL TO
RECALL
IT
TOO!!

THERE
WAS
ONE
FREAKY
THING
ABOUT
THAT
DAYIN'

YOU'VE
ALREADY
PARTIALLY
ANSWERED
YOUR OWN
QUESTION!

THAT'S
WHY
YOU'RE
SUCH A
GREEN
PINE-
APPLE!

I AM NOW GOING
TO DISTRIBUTE
THESE ACTIVISION
SCREENS THAT
WILL SERVE
TO PREVENT
SNOOPING.

EVEN THOUGH
WE ARE SUPPOSED
TO BE PROFOUND,
IT'S EASIER THESE
FACTORS...

OHH!
THERE
WEARE!

HEY!
DOCUMENT
STOP
LOOKING
AROUNDUM

NOT
WE DON'T
ADVICE IT
TO THEM
BUT KULTURE,
WE DON'T
RECOMMEND
IT TO THEM

EVERYBODY,
KEEP YOUR
EYES ON
YOUR OWN
DESK ONLY
PLEASE.

MATHEWS
TO THE
LEFT...

RECOMMEND
NOT TO THE
ONE PERSON
WE AREN'T
ALLOWED TO
RECOMMEND

HOR...
TO THE
RIGHT...

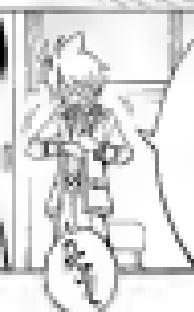
SHUP...







HONESTLY,
IT WAS SO FULL
OF SUCH INEVITABLE
MISPELLINGS
THAT I DREAMED
IT INAPPROPRIATE
AS ENTHUSIASM AND
REWROTE IT.
KEEPING THE
HANDWRITING
SIMILAR...



Well...
IT SEEMS THE
PERPETRATOR
REALLY
WANTED TO
HAVE THIS
LOOK LIKE
SOMETHING
A GRADE-
SCHOOLER
HAD WRITTEN.

NOW, TEACHER...

THIS IS
THE REAL
INTIMIDATION
LETTER!!!

WURNING

I KNOW WHAT YOU DID!

A FROSTY

IF YOU ARENT THE
PERPETRATOR, HOW IN
THE WORLD DID YOU
KNOW THAT THIS WORD
WAS MISPELLED?

STOP CRASHING
INTO ME! I
CONSIDER THIS
LIFE THAT YOU
MURKED UP SO
CARELESSLY,
THAT YOU
WERE DESTINED
TO FAIL.

CANT THEY
JUST HAVE A
CLASSROOM
PARTY...

ABOUT
THE
BANDIT-
GO...

...HIS

...HIS



THEN I THOUGHT TO LET HER REAGREE...



THE LOSS OF THAT PRECIOUSLY NURTURED LIFE!!!!

I'M NOT WRONG, YOU KNOW!!!!

THE WHOLE POINT OF SPONTANEOUS IS THE BETTER...



... THAT'S
UP TO
THE
CLASS-
ROOM
SES-
SION
!!

JUDGE JEN!!!

INNO-
CENT!!!

I PRO-
NOUNCE
THE
ACCUSED,
TENTO
NANA-
HOSHI...

FOR TAKING
ADVANTAGE OF
YOUR STUDENT'S
WEAKNESS AND
INSTIGATING A
CRIMINAL ACT,
I SENTENCE YOU,
HOMEROOM
TEACHER AKANE
AKIMOTO...

100 100 LIFE OF
PUNISHMENT

THE
PUNISHMENT!!

THE
CLASSROOM
ARBITRATOR
SENSES &
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Puff Puff

YOU ALL

WERE
SORRY
!!!!

NOW
FARME
HOW
TICKED
OFF...

GOON

INNOCENT



GUESS
I WAS
WRONG.

ROLL

AND

...

...WE
DIDN'T
KNOW IT
KIND OF THE
TIME...

AND

...

CLASSROOM
SESSION WAS
ABOUT TO
BEGIN IN OUR
CLASS...

CONTINUATION
SCHOOL

COMPUTER
ENTERTAINMENT
PUNISHMENT